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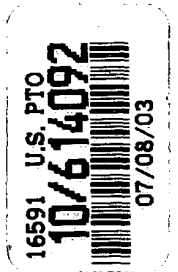


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**Mail Stop Patent Application**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Re: New U.S. Patent Application

Title: DETERGENT COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING AN  
ANIONIC SURFACTANT, AN AMPHOTERIC, CATIONIC, AND/OR  
NONIONIC SURFACTANT, AND A POLYSACCHARIDE, AND  
USE THEREOF

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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application - 68 pages, including title page and abstract, and including 3 independent claims and 66 claims total.
2. Information Data Sheet (2 pgs.).
3. Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b) (3 pgs.)/Form PTO 1449/French Search Report (2 pgs.)/Documents (4).
4. Claim for Priority/Certified copy of French Patent Application No. 02 08553, filed July 8, 2002.

5. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

Basic Application Filing Fee						\$ 750.00
	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims	Rate	
Total Claims	66	-	20	46	X \$ 18	\$ 828.00
Independent Claims	3	-	3	0	X \$ 84	\$ 0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim(s)					+ \$ 280	= 0.00
					<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>\$ 1,578.00</b>
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6. A check for \$ 1,578.00 is enclosed. The fee includes:

\$ 750.00 filing fee; and  
\$ 828.00 additional claims fee.

Applicant also claims the right to priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) based on U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/407,708, filed September 4, 2002, in the United States.

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This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) and (f). Applicants await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the executed Declaration.

**Please accord this application an application number and a filing date.**

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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